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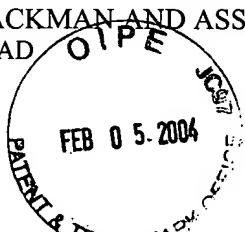
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09/915,643	07/26/2001	Makoto Ikeda	12052-448691 KN1.178.A	7982

TITLE OF INVENTION: BAR-SHAPED LIGHT GUIDE, LINE-ILLUMINATING DEVICE INCORPORATED WITH THE BAR-SHAPED LIGHT GUIDE AND CONTACT-TYPE IMAGE SENSOR INCORPORATED WITH THE LINE-ILLUMINATING DEVICE

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Applicant: Ikeda  
Serial Number: 09/915,643  
Filed: 26 July 2001  
Group Art Unit: 2878  
Examiner: P. J. Lee  
Confirmation Number: 7982  
Title: Bar-Shaped Light Guide, Line-Illuminating Device Incorporated With The Bar-Shaped Light Guide And Contact-Type Image Sensor Incorporated With The Line-Illuminating Device

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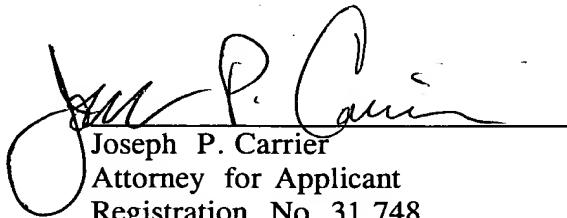
Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully notes an error in the invention title as shown on the Notice Of Allowance and on the Fee(s) Transmittal, and requests correction thereof.

The last several letters of many lines of print on both the Notice Of Allowance and the Fee(s) Transmittal are missing, and this probably accounts for the error occurring at the end of the first line of the invention title as printed thereon. In particular, the phrase "LIGHT GUIDE A CONTACT-TYPE" as appears on the Notice Of Allowance and the Fee(s) Transmittal should be --LIGHT GUIDE AND CONTACT-TYPE--.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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